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DOLLAR A YEAR.

## IN A BOX!

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## ARISTIDES, "THE JUST"

An eminent writer has recently said:

"We want a few people to believe in us, but should all laud us, we are undone!"

This has always been so.

A pinch of salt is a good thing in its place, forsooth does a man always want to be immersed in brine?

Too much popularity—too much unanimity in any one direction—leads to jealousies, envyings, bickerings, mutterings, and, eventually, to some sort of punishment.

Aristides, surnamed "the Just," is a case in point.

He was an Athenian soldier, statesman, patriot, and all round man of affairs, and along all lines was so disinterested and fair, that he was universally styled "the Just!"

At the battle of Marathon his ambition was entirely swallowed up in his patriotism and his splendid behavior on that occasion made him conspicuous in all after life.

Aristides was one of ten leaders of the Athenians at the time of the Persian invasion and in turn each of the ten had full command of the army for a day.

Our hero persuaded the other generals to follow his example and give the chief command to Miltiades and under his tactful and resourceful leadership a great victory was won and the destiny of the world changed.

Ever afterwards whenever an office was vacant or a new one was created the cry and the clamor went outward, upward and onward:

"Give it to Aristides, the Just!"

The good man was everywhere and on all occasions consecrated and anointed with the sacred oil of office.

The anatomy of Aristides appears to have been made up of the warp and woof of human nature very much the same as we see it exemplified in our own day—the constant holding of office created a lust for the holding of office.

On his brow was placed the wreath of civil authority and on his shoulders the epaulettes of military glory.

The word "No!" does not seem to have found a place in the vocabulary of "Aristides, the Just."

He was made a captain, a colonel, and a general in the army; a judge, a legislator and a congressman, but when he gave a listening ear to the tumult of the people that he made governor, it was the beginning of his undoing.

The masses finally grew suspicious and said among themselves:

"What manner of man is this Aristides, the Just?"

"Verily," was the response, "he hath an itching palm. He wants every office in sight and hath an eye always cast to windward for others!"

He may have 'jes' laff'd' (it is not related) but when the masses of Athens got through with him it was a plenty.

His civil wreath was taken from his brow, his epaulettes were torn from his shoulders, and he was banished.

There is a moral in the life of Aristides.

It is this: Let the other fellow have an occasional inning!

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Miss Fay Cribbett, of Largo, is visiting relatives in Ocala.

Mr. Walter Eaton, of Waycross, is the guest of Mrs. O. M. Eaton.

Col. W. B. Wilson, of Charleston, S. C., is a guest at the Ocala House.

Miss Anna Campbell, of Jacksonville, is visiting Mrs. J. J. Williams.

Mr. Harry Cline, of Auburndale, is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Mrs. Mamie Howse Stovall and children are summering at Atlantic City, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Robertson are the happy parents of a baby girl, who arrived Sunday.

The reading club enjoyed a pleasant meeting with Miss Lilla Brumby Tuesday afternoon.

Buy moth balls now at the Post-office Drug Store.

Frank Gates, after spending several days in Ocala, returned to Ocklawaha Tuesday afternoon.

Earl Taylor, a member of the junior base ball team of Gainesville, is the guest of Sam Barco.

When other medicine have failed take Foley's Kidney Cure. It has cured when every thing else has disappointed. Post Office Drug Store.

Mrs. W. K. Zewadski and sons returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit to relatives at Lake Sixteen.

Mr. J. Taylor Scott, of the Tampa Bay Hotel, is again a business visitor to Ocala and a guest at the Ocala House.

Mr. A. H. Marsh, a son-in-law of Dr. Hy Robinson, of Jacksonville, has taken Mr. James Brook's position with the Commercial Bank.

Miss Anni Atkinson and her little niece, Miss Virginia Sistrunk, returned yesterday from a few weeks' visit to relatives at Old Town.

Mr. M. C. Morrison, after visiting his sister, Mrs. W. C. Barnes, for the last ten days, left Tuesday for Tampa to visit friends for a few days.

Foley's Kidney Cure purifies the blood by straining out impurities and tones up the whole system. Cures kidney and bladder troubles. Post Office Drug Store.

The Ocala firemen are sporting the new uniforms recently granted by the city council.

Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Smith of Dunnellon, were visitors to Ocala Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Livingston and two children are visiting relatives in South Carolina.

Mr. J. H. Smoak, of Reddick, was among the pleasant callers at the Ocala Banner office Tuesday.

Mrs. B. J. Potter, Miss Valeta Potter, and Mr. and Mrs. Mallory Liddon left Tuesday over the Seaboard for Lake George, New York, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. B. A. Weathers left Tuesday for Jacksonville and will sail today for New York. He was accompanied by his son, Brantley Weathers, jr. They will be absent several weeks.

That hard road from Dunnellon to Ocala is a splendid move and we hope will be pushed forward to completion. The citizens of Dunnellon contribute \$5,000 towards it. What will Ocala do?

Mr. Ernest Edwards, who has been critically ill at the hospital for the past three weeks, is rapidly improving. His father who has been with him, left Tuesday night for his home in Lake City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Starr Sternberger and baby have returned from a visit to Atlantic City, N. J., and are boarding with Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson on Ft. King avenue.

Mr. Lyde Ley and family, of this city, spent the Fourth of July with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Ley, at Micanopy, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary most elaborately and pleasantly on that day.

The Live Oak base ball team has retired from the Southern League, but the league will not disband. Quitman will probably drop out and leave only four teams in the league and if so arrangements will then be made to play outside teams on off days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyles and daughter, Mrs. Sellars, are in the city the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Freymouth. Mr. Lyles has purchased the place just west of Mr. W. C. Bull's place from Mr. J. A. Pittman and later in the year will return to Ocala to reside permanently.

### Mr. Peebles Badly Hurt.

Saturday night while driving home from Ocala, where he had spent the Fourth, Mr. W. R. Peebles, of Grahamville, was very seriously hurt. He learned over the dash board to whip up his mule with a short switch. The animal kicked back striking Mr. Peebles squarely in the face, crushing it into an almost unrecognizable shape. A young man was in the vehicle with Mr. Peebles and carried him on to Grahamville and telephoned to Ocala for Dr. Van Hood.

The unfortunate gentleman was brought to Ocala Sunday morning and placed in the hospital, where he is lying in a precarious condition. His nose and jaw bone were broken in several places, forehead mashed in and his eyes badly injured.

### Fourth of July Party.

Miss Margaret Anderson entertained about thirty five of her young friends Wednesday afternoon with a very delightful Fourth of July party.

The little hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. William Anderson, Miss Sue Anderson, Misses Alice Bullock and Annie Mathews.

The piazza was elaborately decorated with flags of every nation, lanterns and bunting and from five to nine o'clock presented a very animated scene. A progressive guessing contest was one of the features and in this Miss Mary Burford and Master Frank Harris won the prizes, a fan and a silver ink eraser.

Fire works were shot and all sorts of games were played. At seven o'clock a supper was served on the piazza.

Miss Margaret's party was a very lovely one and was thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

### Repulsive Features.

Blackheads, pimples, greasy faces and muddy faces, complexions which are so common among women, especially girls at a certain age, destroying beauty, disfiguring and making repulsive, features which would otherwise appear attractive and refined, indicative that the liver is out of order. An occasional dose of Herbine will cleanse the bowels, regulate the liver and so establish a clear, healthy complexion. 50c at Anti-Monopoly Drug Store.

### Rev. R. H. Weller Dead.

Rev. R. H. Weller, a venerable, beloved and prominent Episcopal minister of Jacksonville, died unexpectedly Monday morning. He was in his seventy-fifth year. Dr. Weller was one of the most conspicuous churchmen in the state and probably no citizen of Jacksonville was more generally beloved.

He was the father of Rev. Alfred D. Weller, coadjutor of Fon du Lac, Wis., who was at one time rector of Grace Episcopal church of Ocala.

Dr. Weller left a number of other children, viz: Mrs. W. A. Bours, of Jacksonville; Mrs. B. W. Helvenston and Mrs. J. T. Carroll, of Live Oak; Chas. K. Weller of Fon du Lac; George Weller, of Pensacola and Bishop R. H. Weller, of St. Petersburg.

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### Little Miss Drake Entertains.

On Tuesday Mrs. Frank Drake delightfully entertained an all day party of the following little folks, for her daughter, Miss Gladys, at their delightful home on Buckalew Hights: Misses Merle Biggs, Francis Liddon, Stella, Nina and Nita Camp, Masters Cornell DeWeese and Lloyal Biggs. As the little guests arrived they were met by Miss Gladys and presented with a small American flag, symbolic of the season.

The rain interfered with the under-the-trees luncheon which had been planned, but indoor games, music and a dinner composed of all good things that children love made the day pass all too quickly and each departing guest voted Miss Gladys a charming little hostess.

Mrs. Drake was assisted in her entertainment for the children by Mrs. J. A. DeWeese.